

Daily Eagle

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TUESDAY MORNING, NOV. 2, 1886.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

STATE TICKET.
 For Associate Justice—**D. M. VALENTINE**, Franklin county.
 For Governor—**JOHN A. MARTIN**, Atchison county.
 For Lieutenant Governor—**A. P. HIDDLE**, Ottawa county.
 For Secretary of State—**E. R. ALLEN**, Sedgewick county.
 For State Treasurer—**JAMES W. HAMILTON**, Sumner county.
 For Auditor of State—**TIMOTHY MCCARTHY**, Pawnee county.
 For Attorney General—**R. B. BRADFORD**, Geagea county.
 For Superintendent of Public Instruction—**J. H. LAWHEAD**, Bourbon county.

FOR CONGRESSMEN.
 First District—**HON. E. N. MORRILL**, Brown county.
 Second District—**HON. E. H. FURSTON**, Allen county.
 Third District—**HON. B. W. PERKINS**, Neosho county.
 Fourth District—**HON. THOMAS RYAN**, Shawnee county.
 Fifth District—**HON. A. S. WILSON**, Washington county.
 Sixth District—**HON. E. J. TURNER**, Sheridan county.
 Seventh District—**HON. S. B. PETERS**, Harvey county.

JUDICIAL—18th DISTRICT.
 For Judge—**HON. T. B. WALL**, Sedgewick county.

COUNTY TICKET.
 For Probate Judge—**E. R. JEWETT**.
 For Clerk of District Court—**A. B. WRIGHT**.
 For County Attorney—**G. W. C. JONES**.
 For County Superintendent—**R. S. PRINCE**.
 For Commissioner Third District—**T. H. RANDALL**.
 For Representative 52d District—**RODOLPH HATFIELD**.
 For Representative 53d District—**R. E. LAWRENCE**.
 For Representative 54th District—**A. H. CARPENTER**.

The following states hold elections to-day. Those that elect both state officers and congressmen are: California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Wisconsin. Those that elect congressmen only are: Arkansas, Florida, Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia, Virginia, Rhode Island, Kentucky, Maryland, Mississippi, West Virginia.

Oldie Mirror: Every man that votes the Democratic ticket: this fall votes for submission, open saloons and all the abominations that follow such a state of affairs. Every man that votes for the third party in Kansas, votes indirectly for the saloon; for there is not the shadow of a probability that any third party candidate will get a plurality of votes.

That story about Jay Gould intending to remove his New York office to Wichita and occupy part of Marsh, Murdock's private office is said to be without serious foundation.—Winfield Telegram.

The story was the work of malicious enemies, as everybody knows that Mr. Gould has said from the start that the business of the Missouri Pacific was so great at Wichita he would be compelled to erect his one general offices here instead of depending on his friends.

Holton Recorder: Four years ago when St. John was a Republican prohibitionist, he visited Leavenworth, and had to take a close carriage to save him from the vengeance of the saloon element that wanted to mob him. Last week he made a speech in that city as an advocate of third party prohibition, and about thirty or forty saloon keepers in his audience cheered him to the echo. St. John is quite a favorite now with the saloon keepers.

The Wichita, Dodge City & Trinidad railway company has been formed to construct a line from Wichita to Dodge City and thence westerly, an estimated length of 258 miles. Capital stock, \$5,200,000. Directors: Amos Harris, N. H. English, William Kipp, of Wichita; Dr. John A. Brady, Horace Scott, of Louisville, Ky.; H. C. Lim, of Topeka; William Griffith, of Wichita. This line proposes to pass through the Kansas country of Sedgewick, Reno, Pratt, Kiowa, Ford, Finney, Stevens and Morton.

The elaborate and costly experiments in the manufacture of sorghum sugar at Fort Scott, Kansas, under the direction of the Agricultural Department, have ended in failure. There is sugar in the sorghum cane, undoubtedly, but like the virtue of the Democratic party, it is so beset with adverse conditions that no search seems likely to find it out.—Globe-Democrat.

The G. D. is usually correct in its statements, but in this instance its credulity was imposed upon by its informant as to the sugar experiments at Fort Scott. The experiments were successful and satisfactory to the department. As to the G.-D.'s simile it is unquestionable.

Here is our guess for today's election for congressmen throughout the country: The Democracy will lose in New York four members of congress; New Jersey, two; Virginia, one; West Virginia, one; North Carolina, one; Ohio, five; Michigan, four; Indiana, one; Illinois, two; Iowa, two; total loss twenty-four. They may gain California, two; Tennessee, one; total gain, three; which makes a net total loss to the Democracy of twenty-one members. The Democratic majority in the present house of representatives is forty-three. Deducting twenty-one from the Democratic column and adding it to the Republican column would give the Democrats a majority of one to organize the next house.

Omaha Republican: The Republican party is what it has always been. Its motives are clean and strong. It is for morality in principle, against expediency in policy. It has the courage of thought. It has had its faults and its weaknesses, but its human earnestness and directness of honest purpose have never been successfully impeached. There are 400,000 graves in this land today, and the blue that fell into mud and bloodiness long ago covered the forms of men who carried in their cartridge boxes forty leaden bullets for Republican success.

The call for \$10,000,000 more of the 3-per-cent bonds makes the amount called since the adjournment of congress \$65,000,000. This leaves about the same amount uncalled. If revenues continue to exceed expenditures as materially in the immediate future as they have in the recent past, and if the present treasury policy is pursued after election, the entire outstanding 3-per-cent bonds will be exhausted by the middle of next January. And no other government securities will mature before September, 1891. Consequently, in these four years and seven months none of the surplus revenues can be utilized in paying off the public debt, unless the government enters the market on the same footing as a private purchaser, and buys up its own securities at the prevailing rates of premium. What will be done with the \$100,000,000 a year surplus in all that period? This is a question which congress will have to grapple with in its coming session.

FOR SHAME.

The Eagle has it from the best of authority that money will be spent by the Democratic candidates in this city today. Already certain men have been retained to stand at the polls in the interest of two Democratic candidates. One man who got \$75 lit out and won't be here, because of an affidavit which would have been published this morning if he hadn't made himself scarce. But we have the names of others, two for \$50 each, and a promise of more, and three for \$25 each, who have agreed to throw away their principles—they never had any—and work for two Democratic nominees today. Shame, shame! Shame on the buyer and shame on the seller. Such work strikes at the liberties of the people, strikes at the very foundation of all that we hold dear, or hold as politically above that of other nations and peoples. Again we say, shame.

THOS. H. RANDALL, OF MT. HOPE.
 A Comrade's Endorsement.

To the Editor of the Eagle:
 I am informed through the Eagle that Thos. H. Randall, of Mount Hope, is a candidate for county commissioner. Let me say a word to Republicans and to old soldiers. I knew Comrade Randall before he entered the army in 1861. He and I were school mates and both enlisted in the same command, (Co. F., 44th Ohio) and served four years together. He is a man of sterling integrity, of pure motives, of honesty of purpose. He did his whole duty as a soldier from August, 1861, to August, 1865. He was always at the post of duty, and was one of the duty sergeants of his company. His character was always of the highest order among his comrades. Never did a stigma of dishonesty or of unfairness attach to his name. He was regarded pure and upright under all conditions and in all circumstances. I believe him to be a man of unimpeachable integrity, and above trickery, and as such I ask Republicans and old soldiers to vote for him. He proved his loyalty at Lewisburg, at Charlestown, at Ganey, at Dutton's Hill, at Knoxville, at Lynchburg, at Moorfield, at Beverly, and on a hundred other fields. He will do to the very end.

STATE SCHOOL BOOKS.

To the Editor of the Eagle:
 The state of California has concluded to furnish its schools with books of its own making. The expense is about three-fifths to one-half of the publishing houses. There is uniformity in the state and the state and the saving is surprising. All the good resulting from this simple and common sense act cannot be related in a small volume. I am so much pleased with it that I make haste to have you tell the Kansas of this antecedent and let them know it can be and is done. Such laws are a revelation and stand in the list with discoveries of the electric light and the multitudinous applications of electricity and steam. The logic is brief. Whatever series of books is best for one school is alike most suitable for all others. The hint is worth a million to Kansas and is freely donated.

S. WRIGHTSON
 Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 26, '86.
 Sam Jones has closed his services in the Canadian provinces and has received a draft for \$2,500 as a recognition of the value of his work. Doubtless the patriotic and wealthy American residents in Canada have contributed of their abundance to the noted evangelist whom it is their privilege to hear only when he comes across the border.

The imperial press bureau of Russia has summoned together all the Russian editors and given them instructions to lower their voices and adopt a pacific and conciliatory tone which may lead Europe to rest and improve the financial situation in Russia. The Russian press is a docile institution. Black is either black or white according as it appears to the disordered vision of the czar.

Justin McCarthy's visit to this country and the company he kept while here, have not raised him in the opinion of Englishmen. The redoubtable member from Londonderry, whose seat in parliament McCarthy is to take, "regrets handing over his seat to one, whatever his personal qualifications, who has been received and cultivated in America by Fenians, dynamiters and advocates of murder."

A Mounted Cowboy in the Far West was racing with a Railroad Train when his horse stumbled against the train, and all that was left of Horse and Rider was a \$4 fee for a neighboring Coroner with a large family.

"Monte"—"Hum!" said the Railroad Train as it rolled and rolled up at the Next Station, "when the Cowboy sought to Paint me Red he did not think he would do it at such a heavy drain upon his Arterial System."—Louisville Times.

One of the reasons given by Canon (now archbishop) Farrar for pleading himself to total abstinence was that in "England 20,000 inhabitants of our prisons, accustomed to it all their lives, and the majority of them brought into prison directly or indirectly by the use of it, could be, and were, from the moment of their imprisonment absolutely deprived of it, not only without loss but with entire gain to their personal health. Men enter prison sickly and blighted, are deprived of drink, and leave prison strong and hale, and women who, when incarcerated, are hideous to look upon, after being made compulsory sober by act of parliament, recover the bloom of health and almost beauty."

WEB WILDER IN THE EAST.

From the Lawrence Journal.
 Wilder's "Annals" are giving its author and the state fame in the east. The work is the most valuable that has ever been produced in Kansas. It ought to give its distinguished and painstaking author due credit as well as fame. There is, we trust, better fortune still in store for Web Wilder, the man who has done so much for Kansas and is so deserving of the good will of every man who loves Kansas and is loyal to its state. The Boston literary letter to the Springfield, Mass., Republican contains a splendid review of the great Kansas work, from which we excerpt the following:
 "The 'Annals of Kansas' are the most impressive chapters of history—and here are Wilder's 'Annals of Kansas' with tenfold more thought, discernment, and philosophy in them than Prof. Spring could infuse into that dismal failure of his—The History of Kansas. Much of the quest of historians' work was done for him in advance by Mr. Wilder, who has known Kansas for five and twenty years, and in 1875 had thrown together with great knowledge, but in too much haste, the first edition of his 'Annals of Kansas.' Now we have from the pen of Dwight Thatcher at Topeka a new addition with 500 pages more, and extending from 1841 to the close of 1885; giving the history, not only of Kansas, but of many other things during those three and a half centuries. No such cyclopedia of facts concerning any other American state has ever appeared, or will for a long time, since students and writers so exact and devoted as Mr. Wilder, are not likely to be found these many years."

\$40,000 FOR FLOWERS AND DISHES.

Des Moines Register: Grover Cleveland voted 117 pension bills passed by congress to give relief to needy union soldiers, and to keep them and their families from the poor house. These 117 pensions amounted in the aggregate to \$14,000. Mr. Cleveland vetoed them, he said, in the interest of economy, and to keep the public treasury from being depleted and bankrupt—and Harper's Weekly, "the Journal of Civilization," has made several pictures of him as a great gladiator in bear skins, standing over the public treasury and keeping the sick and helpless union soldiers from breaking into it and stealing enough to keep them alive. But Mr. Cleveland approved an appropriation of \$39,000 to keep flowers blooming for himself and his wife in the white house conservatory, and he took \$10,000 of the public money voted for white house expenses, and bought a set of dishes for himself and his family to cut out. We suggest that Mr. Next shall add to his gladiatorial pictures of President Cleveland in his great act of standing guard over the public money to save any of it from being given to keep union soldiers out of the almshouses. The \$10,000 set of dishes should be placed in all their leanness on the side of the gladiator of economy, and the private green house of the white house with \$39,000 in public money being expended on it in a single year, should be placed on the other side in all its loveliness and splendor. With the gladiator standing between these two expenditures of the public money, aggregating \$49,000, for flowers and dishes for himself and wife, the American public can see the real greatness of his act in saving to the treasury the \$14,000 that congress had voted to save 117 helpless union soldiers from want and destitution.

KANSAS KINKS.

A Catholic church is to be built at Pratt Center.

The question of court house bonds agitates Emporia.

The Atchison Patriot is twenty years old. Here's a drug store bumper.

Sedgewick county had on the 30th day of June last 40,959 people.

The advance guard of the Salvation Army have reached Fort Scott.

A Mikado company is singing around the circle in Southern Kansas.

Scarlet rash is prevailing in Lawrence, one doctor having as many as forty cases.

It is estimated that the corn raised in Pratt county this year will reach 1,000,000 bushels.

Wild cats are not plenty in Kansas, but one four-foot long was recently killed near Garden City.

Fort Leavenworth seems to be a dumping off place for brigadier generals. Gen. Wilcox will retire next April.

Wellington thinks it is in a condition to compete with Wichita.

Parsons expects to be a city of 15,000 people within a few years.

The Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias will give a grand parade Thanksgiving day.

The Social Science club for Eastern Kansas and Western Missouri meets at Emporia this week.

The Knights of Labor gave a grand ball at Lawrence Saturday night. It is pleasant to see labor happy.

The Kansas and Colorado railroad company and the Kingman agricultural works have filed their charters with the secretary of state.

Tony Parker was held up by two foot-pads on Chetway creek, Leavenworth, Thursday night, and relieved of his overcoat, watch and several dollars in cash.

The state convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of Kansas met at Ottawa, November 4th to 7th, 1886.

The fourth anniversary of the Lawrence Young Men's Christian Association has been duly celebrated at Plymouth church.

Coolidge is to have a \$12,000 school house. The cities along the western frontier are erecting good and substantial school buildings.

The Baptist state convention will meet in Newton on the 19th of November and continue in session five days. About 200 delegates are expected.

The Wellington Postal Card says: Advice from the Indian Territory state that the most extensive and destructive fires ever known in that Territory are sweeping over the prairie.

The Atchison Patriot says: "The Atchison commission men are having their hands full handling the immense apple crop of this county, and that part of Missouri near by. Some farmers go so far as to say that the apple interest of Atchison county leads the grain interest."

A man attempting to jump from the cars at Junction City Friday was killed. He was a stranger, his papers, found on his person indicate his name to be James W. White.

There will be an equal suffrage meeting held at Lawrence next Monday and Tuesday. There will be in attendance Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Laura M. Johns, Mrs. Clara Colby and Professor Clark, the composer of "Minneapolis Minn.," who had charge of the music at the national convention held at Topeka.

Dalton (Ga.) Citizen: The Rev. C. M. McKeith officiated at a double wedding at Boyce's on the 17th. W. G. and G. R. Phillips, brothers were married respectively to Misses M. D. Hisey and M. A. Logan. The peculiar feature of the wedding was that neither of the brothers knew of the intended marriage of the other until they happened to meet in Chattanooga for the purpose of getting licenses, when they made their secret known, and they concluded to have the one thing come off simultaneously.

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